Economic Investments in Kansas



BTS invested a total of \$5.5 million in Kansas in Fiscal Years 2001 and 2002

Office of Building Technology, State and Community Programs (BTS)

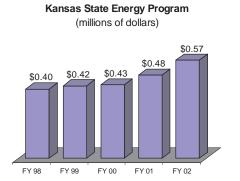
BTS works with partners in the private and non-profit sectors and in state and local governments to make the nation's residential and commercial building stock more energy-efficient, comfortable, affordable, and sustainable.

The mission of DOE's Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy is to promote a strong economy, cleaner environment, and more secure future through the development and deployment of energy efficient and renewable energy technologies.



The Kansas Corporation Commission in Topeka, through the State Energy

Program (SEP), received \$484,000 in FY 2001 and \$570,000 in FY 2002 for a variety of activities including implementation of the State Energy Plan, improving State Building Energy Codes, and providing public education and awareness efforts (e.g., hotlines, publications, and training).



The Kansas Corporation Commission in Topeka received \$140,608 in FY 2002 from the SEP Special Projects Office of Codes and Standards to achieve actual energy performance of new residential and commercial buildings equal to or greater than resulting from compliance with the IECC.



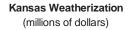
Kansas Corporation Commission and Southeast Kansas Educa**tion Service Center** received technical assistance from the Rebuild Rebuild America America program valued at a combined total of \$40,000 in FY 2002.

This program accelerates energy efficiency improvements in existing commercial, institutional and multifamily residential buildings through private-public partnerships created at the community level. It also assists with business planning, technical product development, marketing, workshops, and training for its partners.



Weatherization The Assistance Program, through 12 local service

providers (e.g., community action agencies) is working to increase energy efficiency and reduce the burden of energy costs to low-income Kansas residents, especially households with elderly residents, individuals with disabilities, and families with children. In FY 2001, Federal funding combined with leveraged





state and local resources resulted in the weatherization of approximately 1,483 homes. In FY 2002, Kansas was allocated \$2,561,867 in weatherization funding.

